

King's High School Daily Notices Tuesday 19th September 2023 Te Kura Tuarua o Kīngi Panui o Te rā Tūrei 19th Hepetema 2023

All/Te Katoa

TIMETABLE DAY - Rua

FREE TICKETS TO DUNEDIN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA - Once again, we have been offered free tickets for High School students to DSO's second International concert. This concert features "Dvorak's New World" and the world premiere of Anthony Ritchie's Sixth Symphony. This takes place on Saturday 23rd September. If you are interested, please email or see Ms Dryden as soon as possible. There are a limited number of tickets available. First in, first served!

OVERDUE LIBRARY BOOKS - Many students (particularly seniors) have overdue library books. Emails are sent to remind you to renew or return your books. After two reminders, emails are sent to your parents/caregivers. Please check your school emails and respond accordingly. Any books not renewed or returned by the end of this week, will be added on to your school accounts for replacement costs.

CHRISTIAN GROUP - TODAY in A3 at lunchtime. All are welcome to come along for some conversation about life.

JAZZ BAND - On TODAY 3 - 4.15 in the Queen's High School Music room.

TABLETOP GAMES CLUB - Interested in Strategy board and card games? Wargames? Magic: The Gathering or Dungeons and Dragons? Come along to T6 after school on TODAY and Thursday from 3pm and join a game. See Mr McPherson, Mr Blagojevity or Mr L Smith for more information. All are welcome.

WHĀNAU HOMEWORK GROUP CANCELLATION - Whānau Homework Group is cancelled this week due to the Manu Kōrero competition. It will be back up and running for next term.

PASIFIKA HOMEWORK GROUP - In A4 from 3 to 4 pm every Wednesday. Get the extra help in subjects that you may have difficulty in! Bring a friend and work together through some of the problems in your subject area. Refreshments are provided and your attendance is most welcome!

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE - The Public Health Nurse, is holding a FREE & CONFIDENTIAL health clinic on Wednesday at lunchtime in the Student Support Centre. No booking required, just knock on the door and wait to be seen.

RED-DY TO ROCK: MUFTI-DAY & GOLD COIN DRIVE FOR RED CROSS! - Please remember to bring at least \$2 for the Red Cross fundraiser happening this Thursday, 21st September. Feel free to contribute more if you'd like. There is still a special prize for the student who raises the most money for the Red Cross up for grabs ... so start collecting. Also, don't forget to wear something red to match the fundraiser's theme. The Red Cross will be taking a photo of the school for their newsletter, and it would be great if we could showcase our support through our attire. Thank you!

WATER POLO - Players who did NOT play in Term 1, that would like to play in Term 4, please follow the link & fill in the google form. https://forms.gle/EHyLngt1ghxKbG4Bg Registrations will close on Friday September 23rd. If you have any questions, please see Mrs Jopson.

ANYONE INTERESTED IN BEING COACHED OR PLAYING SOCIAL TENNIS - If you want to learn to play Tennis or Social Tennis, then this is for you. The first day is Thursday the 26th of October starting at 4:10 to 5:10pm - coaching, or 5:15 to 6:15pm - Social Tennis, at Logan Park Courts. This runs for 6 weeks until the 30th of November. You can do choose one of the above or do both - coaching and playing Social Tennis. You will need to get to and from the courts by yourselves but if you are stuck for a ride please talk to Mr Davis. Please let Mr Davis know what you want to do via email dvakingshigh.school.nz, there is a charge of \$40 for the 6 weeks, please pay at the office.

BREAKFAST CLUB CANCELLED – Due to the Winter Blues Assembly, the Breakfast Club is cancelled TODAY.

ITINERANT MUSIC LESSONS – Timetables are on the Music Room doors.

MONDAY – Piano, cello and flute lessons TUESDAY – Brass, violin and bass lessons WEDNESDAY – Guitar lessons THURSDAY - Clarinet and saxophone lessons FRIDAY – Drum lessons.

Senior/Tuakana

LEARNER LICENSE ASSISTANCE - Are you wanting to get your Learners License and need a little help? Aukaha are running a 2-day holiday programme to help you get your License. There are 2 sessions available – 26th and 27th September and 3rd and 4th October (you must be able to attend both days). The first day is a 'training day' (9-2pm) and the second is 'test day' (9-12pm). Morning tea and a lite lunch will be provided. Both days students will need to get themselves to Moray Place. If you are interested, please see Mrs Campbell ASAP (or email your interest <u>careers@kingshigh.school.nz</u>).

OTAGO POP-UP SHOP OPTIONS EXPO - The Otago Pop-Up Shop Options Expo is being held on Thursday September 28th from 1-4pm at the Otago Polytech Hub (Forth Street). This is a free event and open to anyone to attend. Head along to connect with local employers with jobs, learn about training and career opportunities, or bring your CV for advice. There are a range of employers who will be there (with full-time, part-time and seasonal roles). If you would like more information, head to their Facebook page (Otago Pop-Up Job Shop) or Instagram to see who will be there on the day.

OSTC - (TRADES ACADEMY) - Courses that are being offered in 2024 in Dunedin are:

Automotive Level 2

Construction level 2 (NZ Certificate in Building Construction and Allied Trades level 2)

Construction level 3 - held in Balclutha but open to all Otago schools (NZ Certificate in Building Construction and Allied Trades level 3)

Cookery Level 3 (NZ Certificate in Cookery level 3)

Hospitality level 2 (NZ Certificate in Hospitality level 2)

Sport and Exercise Level 3

Salon Skills (Hairdressing) level 2

Beauty Therapy level 2/3

Manaaki Tauira level 2

Police Pathways level 3

Apiculture (Beekeeping) level 2 (NZ Certificate in Apiculture level 2)

If you wish to get more information on these courses for next year, please contact Mrs Elder - pathways@kingshigh.school.nz

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE TERM 4 - I am now taking names for the Term Four Defensive Driving Course. The course dates are: Tuesday 10th, Thursday 12th, Tuesday 17th & Thursday 19th of October. The course is run here at King's High School in Room 28 from 3.00pm - 5.15pm & the cost for the course is \$70 per student. <u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> You must have held your learner's license for at least 3 months, and you must be able to commit to all four sessions of the course. Please register your interest (including your mobile number) with Mrs Elder at - <u>pathways@kingshigh.school.nz</u> This is a first in, first served basis.

GATEWAY 2024 - If you have registered your name to take Gateway in 2024, could you please make time to come into the Pathways office in the Student Support Block to collect the application forms from today onwards. If you want to enquire about taking Gateway next year, please email Mrs Elder at pathways@kingshigh.school.nz

THE LEARNING PLACE - DUNEDIN SECURITY PILOT COURSE - 20 CREDITS - Exciting news! The popular Security Course now has a new trainer and is back better than ever. Don't miss out on an opportunity to super charge your learning with our relaunched three day course. Objective of the course:

- Understanding the security industry
- Understanding and developing conflict management
- Understanding legal requirements when working in the security, police, corrections, or defence sectors.

PLEASE NOTE: This course will be held on the 11th, 12th and 13th of October. The age requirement has been removed, but you need to be a year 12 or 13 student. If you would like to register your interest, or obtain more information about the course, please put your name forward to Mrs Elder - pathways@kingshigh.school.nz

Junior/Teina

YEAR 10 CAMP - Your camp choices have been put up in the Tunnel, so please check.

FINAL JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL TRIAL - The final trial for the Junior South Island Volleyball Championship is to be held this Wednesday in the King's Gym from 3:15pm until 4:30pm. All players who hope to make one of the three teams MUST be at this trial.